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Slaughtered under Federal Inspection and Poultry Used in Canning and Other Processed Foods July 1960

September 2, 1960

Canned and processed poultry - Poultry used in canning and other processed foods during July 1960 totaled 28,554,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, up 36 percent from the 20,996,000 pounds used in July 1959. The poultry used consisted of 22,045,000 pounds of chickens, 6,491,000 pounds of turkeys and 18,000 pounds of other poultry.

Inspected poultry - The number of head (chickens, turkeys and ducks combined) inspected under the Poultry Products Inspection Act carried on by the U.S.D.A. during July 1960 was 151,512,000, compared with 148,367,000 in July 1959. The number of head and pounds (live weight) inspected by classes were: young chickens, 138,054,000 head, 446,921,000 pounds; mature chickens, 7,757,000 head, 38,284,000 pounds; young turkeys 3,276,000 head, 50,814,000 pounds; old turkeys 338,000 head, 5,984,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, 905,000 head, 7,980,000 pounds; and ducks, 1,182,000 head, 7,256,000 pounds.

Certified poultry - During July 1960, the quantity of poultry certified as wholesome was 407,330,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight. Of this amount, 323,564,000 pounds were young chickens, 26,559,000 pounds mature chickens, 40,939,000 pounds young turkeys, 4,772,000 pounds old turkeys, 6,179,000 pounds fryer-roaster turkeys, 5,229,000 pounds ducks, and 88,000 pounds other poultry.

Ante-mortem condemnations totaled 1,494,000 pounds (live weight) for all classes. Condemnations, by classes, were equivalent to the following percentages of the live pounds inspected: young chickens 0.28 percent, mature chickens 0.36 percent, young turkeys 0.14 percent, old turkeys 0.19 percent, fryer-roaster turkeys 0.15 percent, and ducks 0.07 percent.

Post-mortem condemnations amounted to 8,968,000 pounds (NYD weight). Condemnations, by classes, were equivalent to the following percentages of the quantities inspected: young chickens 1.84 percent, mature chickens 2.66 percent, young turkeys 0.95 percent, old turkeys 1.34 percent, fryer-roaster turkeys 1.15 percent, and ducks 1.57 percent.

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Poultry: Slaughtered under Federal inspection, July 1960 with comparisons

Class	June 1960	July 1959	July 1960	Jan.-July 1959	Jan.-July 1960	June 1960	July 1959	July 1960	Jan.-July 1959	Jan.-July 1960
	Number inspected					Pounds inspected (live weight)				
	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds
Young chickens	142,820	135,449	138,054	833,302	874,610	471,322	442,658	446,921	2,731,806	2,898,265
Mature chickens	6,399	6,822	7,757	48,093	44,600	32,594	33,744	38,284	243,847	223,182
Total chickens	149,219	142,271	145,811	881,395	919,210	503,916	476,402	485,205	2,975,653	3,121,447
Young turkeys	1,710	2,745	3,276	7,618	8,746	26,569	42,350	50,814	115,258	138,215
Old turkeys	1,133	283	338	2,553	2,231	21,858	4,409	5,984	45,345	42,550
Fryer-roasters	1,074	1,660	905	8,649	6,817	9,169	12,260	7,980	67,516	58,283
Total turkeys	3,917	4,688	4,519	18,820	17,794	57,596	59,019	64,778	228,119	239,048
Ducks	1,291	1,408	1,182	5,408	5,628	7,938	8,503	7,256	32,261	35,025
Other poultry	---	---	---	---	---	129	325	166	937	730
Total poultry	---	---	---	---	---	569,579	544,249	557,405	3,236,970	3,396,250

Class	June 1960	July 1959	July 1960	Jan.-July 1959	Jan.-July 1960	July 1959	July 1960	Jan.-July 1959	Jan.-July 1960	July 1959	July 1960	Jan.-July 1959	Jan.-July 1960
	Pounds certified (ready-to-cook weights)					Pounds condemned Ante-mortem (live weight)				Pounds condemned Post-mortem (N.Y. dressed wt.)			
	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds
Young chickens	339,769	326,413	323,564	2,002,846	2,087,106	1,005	1,254	6,658	7,010	4,678	7,371	34,638	69,127
Mature chickens	22,535	24,218	26,559	177,233	157,584	118	138	751	720	606	911	3,881	4,695
Total chickens	362,304	350,631	350,123	2,180,079	2,244,690	1,123	1,392	7,409	7,730	5,284	8,282	38,519	73,822
Young turkeys	21,451	33,682	40,939	92,284	111,493	51	74	158	177	255	434	688	1,201
Old turkeys	17,479	3,628	4,772	36,713	33,993	3	11	44	58	41	70	479	543
Fryer-roasters	7,069	9,494	6,179	52,348	45,193	13	12	154	131	81	81	449	479
Total turkeys	45,999	46,804	51,890	181,345	190,679	67	97	356	366	377	585	1,616	2,223
Ducks	5,851	6,106	5,229	24,048	25,162	3	5	11	25	84	100	350	467
Other poultry	67	199	88	527	388	1	0	1	1	2	1	7	7
Total poultry	414,221	403,740	407,330	2,385,999	2,460,919	1,194	1,494	7,777	8,122	5,747	8,968	40,492	76,519

Poultry: Used in Canning and Other Processed Foods, monthly, by classes, 1959-60
(Ready-to-cook weights)

Month	Young chickens		Mature chickens		Turkeys		Other poultry		Total poultry	
	1959	1960	1959	1960	1959	1960	1959	1960	1959	1960
	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds
January	3,612	5,097	13,362	13,591	6,197	5,723	5	3	23,176	24,414
February	3,919	4,782	11,236	15,653	5,119	5,123	11	5	20,285	25,563
March	4,344	6,093	12,469	17,801	6,625	6,816	7	3	23,445	30,713
April	4,033	7,536	13,305	16,286	6,010	5,469	8	26	23,356	29,317
May	3,172	5,968	12,625	16,636	4,518	6,269	1	30	20,316	28,903
June	3,756	6,512	11,537	13,584	5,013	6,833	13	31	20,319	26,960
July	3,671	8,744	12,670	13,301	4,645	6,491	10	18	20,996	28,554
August	4,053		12,550		6,182		4		22,789	
September	4,477		11,674		8,006		16		24,173	
October	6,238		15,802		11,098		21		33,159	
November	5,085		14,149		8,949		13		28,196	
December	5,482		14,457		7,899		6		27,844	
Total	51,842		155,836		80,261		115		288,054	

Young Turkeys (Mature): Slaughtered under Federal inspection, by regions and selected States, July 1959 and 1960

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (live weight)		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Pounds condemned post-mortem (N.Y. dressed wt.)	
	1959	1960	1959	1960	1959	1960	1959	1960
	Thou.	Thou.	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds
N.Atl.	78	107	684	1,147	524	898	4	9
E.N. Cent.	254	372	4,055	5,690	3,213	4,576	15	25
W.N. Cent.	1,174	1,348	18,001	20,245	14,194	16,091	83	186
S.Atl.	161	189	2,743	3,097	2,198	2,482	14	19
S.Cent.	143	220	2,164	3,509	1,701	2,818	13	20
West	935	1,040	14,703	17,126	11,852	14,074	126	175
U. S.	2,745	3,276	42,350	50,814	33,682	40,939	255	434
Pa.	69	98	530	1,009	402	788	4	8
Ohio	61	96	1,039	1,472	849	1,191	4	6
Minn.	585	701	8,780	10,465	6,912	8,323	47	87
Va.	31	59	538	905	422	707	3	10
Texas	76	80	1,227	1,208	967	972	7	8
Calif.	597	692	9,542	11,193	7,651	9,341	105	125

Other Turkeys: Slaughtered Federal inspection, by regions and selected States, July 1959 and 1960 1/

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (live weight)		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Pounds condemned post-mortem (N.Y. dressed wt.)	
	1959	1960	1959	1960	1959	1960	1959	1960
	Thou.	Thou.	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds
Fryer-roaster								
N. Atl.	6	8	55	63	43	49	0	0
E.N.Cent.	271	119	2,268	1,103	1,739	865	13	4
W.N.Cent.	475	356	3,976	3,287	3,119	2,571	28	32
S. Atl.	782	310	4,981	2,615	3,838	1,998	34	33
S. Cent.	64	36	517	294	397	228	3	3
West	62	76	463	618	358	468	3	9
U. S.	1,660	905	12,260	7,980	9,494	6,179	81	81
Ohio	69	17	550	145	429	113	5	0
Minn.	372	298	3,127	2,768	2,462	2,168	22	29
Iowa	97	32	780	306	602	241	5	2
Va.	562	310	4,167	2,613	3,207	1,997	28	33
Old turkeys (breeders)								
N. Atl.	5	9	108	165	89	135	0	1
E.N.Cent.	52	43	838	730	661	584	8	8
W.N.Cent.	78	83	1,208	1,542	976	1,217	13	19
S. Atl.	66	51	852	759	676	618	7	7
S. Cent.	7	24	142	379	112	298	2	6
West	75	128	1,261	2,409	1,114	1,920	11	29
U. S.	283	338	4,409	5,984	3,628	4,772	41	70
Ohio	34	26	546	416	437	334	4	4
Minn.	68	50	1,050	936	851	744	12	10
Iowa	4	7	72	145	57	113	0	2
Va.	49	27	567	369	445	290	3	4
Calif.	63	104	1,093	2,015	979	1,601	10	25

1/ Errata: In the table on page 4 of this report issued on August 3, 1960 insert "June" in the heading instead of "May"

Young Chickens: Slaughtered under Federal inspection, by regions and selected States, July 1959 and 1960

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (live weight)		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Pounds condemned post-mortem (N.Y. dressed wt.)	
	1959	1960	1959	1960	1959	1960	1959	1960
	Thou.	Thou.	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds
N.Atl.	16,300	14,017	57,073	50,672	42,578	36,994	503	689
E.N.Cent.	4,691	4,833	15,454	15,986	11,510	11,597	83	112
W.N.Cent.	4,909	4,617	15,212	14,353	11,103	10,157	119	278
S.Atl.	58,053	58,777	191,908	192,511	141,626	140,057	1,682	3,127
S.Cent.	47,755	52,160	150,890	161,125	110,801	115,949	2,157	2,951
West	3,741	3,650	12,121	12,274	8,795	8,810	134	214
U. S.	135,449	138,054	442,658	446,921	326,413	323,564	4,678	7,371
Maine	5,325	4,767	19,012	18,166	14,216	13,513	141	275
Conn.	1,493	1,336	4,759	4,249	3,768	2,802	38	82
Pa.	6,813	6,140	23,692	21,840	17,634	16,081	252	237
Ohio	1,514	1,416	4,908	4,814	3,661	3,535	31	32
Ind.	1,382	1,707	4,545	5,339	3,353	3,841	19	38
Wis.	1,134	1,438	3,735	4,858	2,802	3,545	16	36
Minn.	207	263	726	889	548	655	3	7
Mo.	4,023	4,153	12,324	12,722	8,942	8,942	96	267
Del.	6,194	5,994	21,063	21,120	15,569	15,446	194	422
Md.	8,230	7,727	28,162	27,360	20,359	19,946	203	376
Va.	4,537	4,455	13,779	13,626	10,100	9,922	98	126
N.C.	10,759	13,603	34,626	43,962	25,607	31,794	230	566
S.C.	1,005	905	3,213	2,885	2,314	2,094	31	58
Ga.	25,992	24,847	86,803	79,461	64,606	57,881	901	1,540
Tenn.	3,653	5,180	11,800	16,464	8,655	11,950	129	344
Ala.	13,188	12,930	43,160	40,463	32,466	29,584	477	678
Miss.	7,187	7,728	22,538	23,083	16,874	16,759	408	560
Ark.	13,146	15,085	40,090	46,118	28,477	32,506	685	763
Texas	6,796	6,600	21,146	20,313	15,480	14,591	289	369
Wash.	607	506	1,973	1,736	1,367	1,216	23	17
Oreg.	708	484	2,300	1,622	1,623	1,147	23	25
Calif.	2,025	2,236	6,594	7,614	4,882	5,503	80	147

Mature Chickens: Slaughtered under Federal inspection, by regions and selected States, July 1959 and 1960

Region and State	Number inspected		Pounds inspected (live weight)		Total pounds certified (Ready-to-cook wt.)		Pounds condemned post-mortem (N.Y. dressed wt.)	
	1959	1960	1959	1960	1959	1960	1959	1960
	Thou.	Thou.	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds
N.Atl.	1,249	1,386	6,526	7,297	4,522	4,966	75	137
E.N. Cent.	1,262	1,359	5,946	6,262	4,536	4,375	93	123
W.N. Cent.	1,882	2,138	8,394	9,807	5,856	6,732	201	301
S.Atl.	1,022	1,263	5,941	7,005	4,292	4,991	97	143
S.Cent.	821	828	4,413	4,480	3,216	3,162	75	129
West	586	783	2,524	3,433	1,796	2,333	65	78
U. S.	6,822	7,757	33,744	38,284	24,218	26,559	606	911
Maine	156	255	901	1,597	675	1,195	11	38
Conn.	60	65	389	426	271	296	4	6
N.J.	449	607	1,818	2,521	1,149	1,555	24	56
Pa.	185	142	971	813	689	590	10	9
Ohio	294	354	1,384	1,650	985	1,155	23	30
Ind.	430	380	2,050	1,818	1,532	1,558	27	38
Ill.	395	483	1,874	2,175	1,583	1,169	34	37
Wis.	136	127	608	555	419	448	8	17
Iowa	212	147	947	672	735	473	20	10
Mo.	296	362	1,442	1,944	1,066	1,356	24	31
Nebr.	381	496	1,764	2,248	1,164	1,503	40	89
Del.	68	28	398	212	273	155	3	3
Va.	158	102	809	619	605	448	13	14
N.C.	272	390	1,778	2,266	1,150	1,600	30	37
S.C.	55	35	345	197	255	141	6	4
Ga.	264	401	1,740	2,446	1,411	1,760	33	58
Tenn.	143	173	795	898	553	621	13	18
Ala.	238	169	1,188	965	881	704	16	27
Miss.	90	63	365	351	268	256	6	6
Ark.	33	45	229	314	168	220	5	9
Texas	127	194	713	912	514	632	14	33
Wash.	72	85	320	385	204	257	12	8
Calif.	377	554	1,587	2,394	1,150	1,630	42	53

Definitions -

Young chickens - Commercially grown broilers-fryers and other young immature birds such as roasters and capons.

Mature chickens - Fowl from breeder and market egg flocks and stags and cocks.

Fryer-roaster turkeys - Young immature birds, usually under 16 weeks of age.

Young turkeys (mature) - Young birds grown to a matured market age, usually 5 to 7 months.

Old turkeys (breeders) - Fully matured birds held for egg production, usually over 15 months of age.

Ducks - Includes all ducks regardless of age and weight.

Other poultry - Includes all other ready-to-cook products which bear the U.S.D.A. Inspected for Wholesomeness legend.

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